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RE: THE MAN ISOLATED

(TEXT) WHEN THE YOUNG SCIENTIST TRIED TO ESCAPE FROM THE HOSPITAL AND JUMPED OUT OF A WINDOW ON THE THIRD FLOOR, THIS WAS PRESENTED AS AN ATTEMPT TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

MARSHALL SHULMAN NEED NOT LABOR UNDER ANY ILLUSION. THERE ARE MORE DETAILED EVIDENCE AND PROOFS OF HIS "SCIENTIFIC" ACTIVITY UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF U.S. SPECIAL SERVICES.

SHULMAN BELIEVED THAT HIS TRUE CHARACTER IS UNKNOWN AND TRIED TO GET THE PERMISSION OF THE SOVIET ACADEMY OF SCIENCES TO COME TO THE SOVIET UNION FOR SIX MONTHS THIS YEAR. HE CLAIMED THAT HIS TASK WAS TO STUDY THE EVOLUTION OF THE APPROACH OF THE SOVIET AND AMERICAN SIDES TO THE DISARMAMENT PROBLEMS IN THE LIGHT OF POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC CHANGES IN THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

BUT IT IS NOT DIFFICULT TO GUESS WHAT THE REAL PURPOSE OF SHULMAN'S VISIT WAS. AND IT WAS MADE CLEAR TO HIM THAT HIS VISIT WAS UNDERSIRABLE.

NEVERTHELESS, ABOUT A MONTH AGO THE AMERICAN PROFESSOR ARRIVED IN THE USSR AS A TOURIST AND ALTHOUGH HE HAD NO INVITATION, HE PERSISTENTLY TRIED TO PENETRATE TO CERTAIN SCIENTIFIC CENTERS. FOR AN OBVIOUS REASON THE UNINVITED GUEST FOUND NO UNDERSTANDING IN MOSCOW.

THE SOVIET UNION IS IN FAVOR OF EXCHANGING TOURISTS ON AN INCREASING SCALE, WITH THE UNITED STATES AS WELL. LAST YEAR THE NUMBER OF SPECIALIZED GROUPS OF TOURISTS FROM THE UNITED STATES CONSIDERABLY INCREASED. THEY INCLUDED BUSINESSMEN, ENGINEERS, DOCTORS, JOURNALISTS, ART CRITICS, FARMERS, CLERGYMEN, STUDENTS, PEOPLE STUDYING THE RUSSIAN LANGUAGE, AND SCIENTISTS.

FOREIGN TRAVELLERS WHO COME TO THE USSR WITHOUT ANY ULTERIOR MOTIVE ARE ALWAYS WELCOME. THE SOVIET PEOPLE UNDERSTAND THAT PROFESSOR SHULMAN IS AN EXCEPTION.